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Self-Anchored Suspension Bridge

Letter No. 05.03.01-007328

Michael Flowers
Project Executive
American Bridge/Fluor, A JV
375 Burma Road
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Dear Michael Flowers,

Submittal 1503, Rev. 4 – OBG - Request for Weld Repair

The Department has completed review of Submittal ABF-SUB-001503R04, "OBG - Request for Weld Repair - American Bridge/Fluor JV," dated April 15, 2010. The submittal is "Approved." Please be aware of the following comment:

CATEGORY C:

1. The plate thickness transition of 1:10 was permitted by the Engineer to be revised to 1:2.5. See the response to RFI 798R01 and the approved weld detail on the corresponding shop drawing.

As discussed with ABF representatives on March 20, 2010, future weld joints at plate thickness transitions will be evaluated at Pier 7 and at ZPMC. If needed, a more gradual transition will be made in the field weld joint area prior to installing the backing bar.

If you have any questions, contact Gary Lai at the Working Drawing Campus.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Gary Pursell'.

GARY PURSELL
Resident Engineer

Attachment

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